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AUGUST 2013 EVENT/ACTIVITY LISTINGS

GLENDALE, Ariz. – The following events are offered from the city of Glendale Parks, Recreation and Library Services in August. The programs are free unless otherwise stated.

Salsa Dance Class

8 to 8:50 p.m., Thursdays for 6 weeks, beginning Aug. 1 at the Foothills Recreation & Aquatics Center, 5600 W. Union Hills Dr.

This class will help you find the rhythm to different Latin songs and the Cuban motion. Students will be asked to rotate dance partners to get a better grasp on leading and following. Class is open to ages 15 and older. The price is \$48 (non-resident \$58), and preregistration is required. For more information, call 623-930-4613. To register, call 623-930-4600.

Pottery Wheel Throwing

4:30 to 7 p.m., Fridays for 3 weeks, beginning Aug. 2 at the Foothills Recreation & Aquatics Center, 5600 W. Union Hills Dr.

Throw a lidded dish, large serving bowl and large vase in this pottery wheel throwing class. Class is limited to four students, ages 16 and older. A \$25 supply fee will be collected at the first class. The price is \$150 (non-resident \$180), and preregistration is required. For more information, call 623-930-4613. To register, call 623-930-4600.

Chiles Rellenos Workshop

11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Sunday, Aug. 4 or 25 at the Foothills Recreation & Aquatics Center, 5600 W. Union Hills Dr.

Learn to make chiles rellenos with red sauce and Mexican rice. Impress your friends and family with this delicious dish made with poblano chiles stuffed with cheese. Participants will prepare a dinner to take home, so bring containers to take home food. A \$15 supply fee will be collected at class. Spanish is available upon request. The workshop price is \$29 (non-resident \$35). Two classes are available. Preregistration is required. For more information, call 623-930-4613. To register, call 623-930-4600.

Wee Readers at Westgate

10:30 to 11 a.m., Monday, Aug. 5 at Gallery Glendale at Westgate, 9380 W. Westgate Blvd.

Stories, rhymes, finger plays and songs all for newborns through ages 5 and their caregivers. For more information, call 623-930-3537.

Chatty Teen Movies: "Percy Jackson and the Olympians: The Lightning Thief"

5:30 p.m., Monday, Aug. 5 at the Glendale Main Library, 5959 W. Brown St.

Teens get to watch a movie and interact at the same time. Don't just watch a movie – participate in it. Bring your cell phone and watch your texts show up on the screen. No registration required. For more information, call 623-930-3537.

Adult Coed Racquetball Leagues

6 to 8 p.m., Mondays or Wednesdays for 8 weeks, beginning Aug. 5 or 7 at the Foothills Recreation & Aquatics Center, 5600 W. Union Hills Dr.

Adult coed points-based leagues are offered on Monday and Wednesday evenings. Beginners/intermediate play on Mondays. Wednesdays are for advanced players. The league price is \$25 (non-resident \$33). For more information, call 623-930-4610. To register, call 623-930-4600.

AUGUST EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Add 1-1-1-1

Backyard Stargazing for Everyone

7 p.m., Monday, Aug. 5 at the Glendale Main Library, 5959 W. Brown St.

This free and fun activity is for the entire family. After dark, telescopes will be in place in front of the library for viewing the night sky. For more information, call 623-979-1393.

How to Find and Get Your Perfect Job

10 a.m., Tuesday, Aug. 6 at the Glendale Main Library, 5959 W. Brown St.

Participants will learn the three stages of a successful job hunt: exploration, preparation and action. The use of assessments, personal branding, networking, resumes and internet job searching will be linked with resume distribution, interview preparation and timely follow-up. Registration is required. Call 623-930-3531 to register or for more information.

GOLF 101 for Youth

**Wednesdays or Saturdays for 4 weeks beginning Aug. 7 or 10
at the Glen Lake Golf Course, 5450 W. Northern Ave.**

GOLF 101 is a fun, interactive approach to increasing junior participation in golf for ages 7-17, with PGA professionals at the forefront of the experience. The objective is to develop core golfers who will continue to play socially or competitively, based on individual desires. Clubs are provided if needed. The Wednesday class is held from 6 to 7 p.m., and the Saturday class is held from 12 to 1 p.m. The class is \$50 (non-resident \$60), and preregistration is required. For more information, call 623-930-4613. To register, call 623-930-4600.

Brown Bag Booktalk

1:15 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 8 at the Velma Teague Branch Library, 7010 N. 58th Ave.

Bring your lunch and we will bring the coffee and some fresh-brewed book recommendations. Feel free to bring a book to share with the group. For more information, call 623-930-3431.

Writing a Winning Resumé

10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesday, Aug. 13 at the Glendale Main Library, 5959 W. Brown St.

During this workshop, participants will learn how to develop, write and distribute a basic resumé and cover letter. In addition to content, format and style, participants will learn how to write, attach and use a cover letter. Participants will also learn how to link effective resume and cover letter distribution to job-hunting goals. The many "resume myths" will be discussed along with a "what not to do" checklist. Registration is required. Call 623-930-3531 to register or for more information.

Waterplay Fun!

10:30 a.m., Wednesday, Aug. 14 at the Foothills Branch Library, 19055 N. 57th Ave.

This is water play fun designed for ages 2-4. Join us on the youth patio for bouncy bubbles, sudsy doll washing, a rubber ducky tub and other cool, water play activities. Wear shoes and sunscreen, and dress to get wet. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Registration is required and opens Friday, Aug. 2. For more information or to register, call 623-930-3837.

Pet CPR and First Aid Training

9 to 11 a.m., Saturday, Aug. 17 at the Foothills Recreation & Aquatics Center, 5600 W. Union Hills Dr.

Discuss the immediate care and temporary assistance that can be given to an injured or suddenly ill pet until competent veterinary care is available. Properly applied first aid can save your pet's life, reduce recovery time and be the difference between temporary and lifelong disability. In addition to basic emergency care, CPR and emergency choking, learn about common illnesses and other problems that your pet may be exposed to. Receive a student handbook and certificate of completion. This program is endorsed by the ASPCA. The class is \$42 (non-resident \$50), and preregistration is required. For more information, call 623-930-4613. To register, call 623-930-4600.

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Add 2-2-2-2

Kid's Cooking Class

11 a.m. to 12 p.m., Saturdays for 4 weeks, beginning Aug. 17 at the Foothills Recreation & Aquatics Center, 5600 W. Union Hills Dr.

Children ages 7-12 will learn to use ingredients to create yummy dishes from scratch. Student will learn to make a breakfast, lunch and dinner item, along with a dessert. They will also learn basic kitchen safety, safe food handling and proper use of kitchen tools. A \$20 supply fee collected at the first class. Registration is \$59 (non-resident \$71), and preregistration is required. For more information, call 623-930-4613. To register, call 623-930-4600.

The 58th Avenue Book Group

10:15 a.m., Tuesday, Aug. 20 at the Velma Teague Branch Library, 7010 N. 58th Ave.

Join us for coffee and donuts and great book discussion. We will be reading "Pompeii," by Robert Harris. Copies of the current selection will be available at the Velma Teague Reference Desk. For more information, call 623-930-3431.

Paws to Read with Jake

4 p.m., Tuesday, Aug. 20 at the Foothills Branch Library, 19055 N. 57th Ave.

Reserve a spot to read with Jake, the cutest therapy dog this side of the Rio Grande. Each child may book one 15-minute spot to share a "tail" one-on-one with Jake. Jake is an official therapy dog certified through Delta Society. He loves books and stories of all kinds and loves to meet children. This program is for ages 5 and older. Registration begins Tuesday, Aug. 13. For more information or to register, call 623-930-3837.

Great Arizona Puppet Theater: The Pirate and the Tooth Fairy

2 p.m., Wednesday, Aug. 21 at the Foothills Branch Library, 19055 N. 57th Ave.

The Great Arizona Puppet Theater, Arizona's award-winning professional puppet theater, presents "The Pirate and the Tooth Fairy," a fun show about a pirate who enlists the help of the Tooth Fairy to teach his pirate son the importance of taking care of his most valuable treasure - his pearly whites! All ages are welcome, but the program is targeted to ages 2-9. This fun and informative show is sponsored by Solomon Pediatric Dental. For more information, call 623-930-3837.

How to Cook Fish

5:30 to 8:30 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 22 at the Foothills Recreation & Aquatics Center, 5600 W. Union Hills Dr.

We all know we are supposed to eat two to three fish meals a week. This course will take the mystery out of preparing great fish meals right at home. A \$20 supply fee will be collected at class. Class is taught by a certified personal chef. The class is \$65 (non-resident \$78). Preregistration is required. For more information, call 623-930-4613. To register, call 623-930-4600.

Theatre Kidz

5:30-7 p.m., Thursdays, Aug. 22 – Nov. 7 at the Glendale Adult Center, 5970 W. Brown St.

This is a special activity designed for individuals ages 10-22 with physical, mental, emotional or social disabilities. Participants will learn the joy of singing, acting and dancing, while also improving their confidence and making new friends. The final class ends with a live performance on stage at the Adult Center. The price is \$25 (non-resident \$30), and preregistration is required. Call 623-930-4335 for information. To register, call 623-930-2820.

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